

COLUMBARIUM

First Congregational Church

Cheshire, CT

GENERAL INFORMATION

APPLICATIONS FOR THE PURCHASE OF THE RIGHT OF INTERMENT in the First Congregational Church's Columbarium are now being received by the Columbarium Governing Board (CGB). The fee is \$1500 per burial plot. Purchase of a plot is restricted to church members. Application forms are available through the church office.

INSCRIPTIONS on the stone face will be limited to the name and years only of birth and death of the deceased. The CGB will provide for all incised inscriptions at the time of interment as a part of the purchase price.

URNS for each plot are provided with purchase. The urn provided is a simple durable container. Persons wishing to use more costly or elaborate urns may do so at their own expense provided that the alternate urn fits within the space of the burial plot.

PURCHASE OF A PLOT is a right of interment in the Columbarium. This is addressed in more detail in the Rules and Regulations. While the purchaser does not hold a property deed as such, the purchase is equivalent to a cemetery plot so that tax deductions do not apply to the purchase of a right of interment. Some purchasers may wish to discuss this matter with their own attorney or accountant.

QUESTIONS concerning the Columbarium should be addressed to the CGB. A diagrammatic plan of the Columbarium and a sample of the container are available at the church office for inspection.

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